to prevent subversive activities of Pakistani agents?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS; AND IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) to (d) The inforamtion is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Interrogation of one Subhash Jain on suspiction of being a terrorist

2240. SHRI B. SATYANARAYAN REDDY: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that one Subhash Jain who has spent 14 years in a Pakistani Jail had been pushed across the border into Rajasthan along with a group of Indian prisoners is undergoing interrogation in a Ganganagar Police Station on the suspicion of being a terrorists; and

(b) If so, what are the details in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI BUTA SINGH): (a) and (b) The information is being collected and will be laid on Table of the House

Foreign funds received by the World Muslim Minority Community

2241. SHRI LAL K. ADVANI.
SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state the amount received by the Indian Branch of the "World Muslim Minority Communjty" from foreign sources during the last three years and how this amount has been utilised during the same period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INTERNAL SECURITY (SHRI ARUN NEHRU): Government are not aware of the existence of any Indian Branch of World Muslim Minority Community.

Representation to SC/ST in Government Departments and Public Undertakings

2242. SHRI SURAJ PRASAD: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that in spite of clear legal provisions, the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes people are not given proper representation in the various Government Departments and Public Undertakings;

(b) whether Government have received any complaints from the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Commission in this regard; and

(c) if so, what remedial steps have been taken in this matter?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI BIREN SINGH ENGTI). (a) No, Sir. Various Government Departments and Public Undertakings have been instructed to fully implement the policy of reservation so as to ensure proper representation of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes.

(b) and (c). The inadequate representation of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes in services was brought to notice of the Government by the Commission for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes. The recommendations made by the Commission in this regard have been examined and suitable action taken.

Blackmarketing of controlled cloth allotted to Sikkim state Federation

2243. SHRI BHAGATRAM MANHAR:
SHRI BIR BHADRA PRATAP SINGH:

Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state

(a) whether it is a fact that out of the allocation of 1600 bales of controlled cloth worth about Rupees 60 lakhs to the Sikkim State Federation Wholesale Store only about a dozen bales were received by them and the balance was sold to the private traders, M/s. Bhanwar Lal

Agarwal of Calcutta in black market by the dealing Officers of National Consumer Cooperative Federation;

(b) if so, who were the N.C.C.F. Officers involved in this scandal; and

(c) what disciplinary action Government have taken or propose to take against the involved officers?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI AJIT PANJA): (a) to (c) Recently, it came to the notice of the Government of India that against the release of 1587 bales of controlled cloth to Sikkim for the year 1984-85 and 1985-86, only 11 bales were received in the State. Since, prima facie, there was a case of diversion of controlled cloth to unauthorised channel in collusion with private traders, the case has been handed over to CBI for further investigation. The CBI has already registered a case against some officers of NCCF, Sikkim Consumer Cooperative Society and office of the Textile Commissioner. The management of NCCF has also placed some officers under suspension on the basis of certain irregularities alleged to have been committed by them and some of the suspended officers are also alleged to be involved in this case.

Escape of khalistan protagonists

2244. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA:
SHRI SURAJ PRASAD:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that sometime in October, 1985 there was mysterious exit of three Khalistani protagonists who arrived at Palam Air Port from Montreal despite the fact that their arrival in Delhi was within the knowledge of the police authorities; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof stating whether any inquiry has been made by Government into the circumstances leading to their exit identifying the persons responsible for making their exit possible and the action taken by Government in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF STATES (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) On 22-11-1985, three persons named Sadhu Singh, Shobha Singh and Gobind Singh, while on their way to Bangkok approached immigration for clearance. On checking their documents and records at Palam Airport, the Clearing Officer found that these persons were identical with "LOOK OUT CARD" subjects. The concerned agencies were informed who interrogated the suspects, but since nothing was found against them, they were released on 23-11-1985.

However, during investigation it was found that the suspects had arrived at Delhi Airport on 12-10-1985 but were not detected due to the negligence of two officials. Both the officials are being dealt with departmentally. Two other officers of immigration who detected the "LOOK OUT CARD" subjects, were suitably rewarded.

Rehabilitation of displaced persons in Pandu and Maligaon in Gauhati

2245. SHRI CHITTA BASU:
SHRI RAMKRISHNA MAZUMDER:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to refer to the reply to Unstarred Question 1852 given in the Rajya Sabha on March 13, 1986 and state:

(a) whether the Central Government have taken up the matter of rehabilitation of the displaced persons who have been served with the eviction notices by the Railways with Government of Assam who are entrusted with the responsibility of rehabilitating them and accept the Railways offer of alternative land; and

(b) if so, the response of Assam Government thereto?